

## MEXICAN REBELS CROSS TEXAS LINE

### SHORT STORIES

Facts With Frills Facetious  
And Otherwise  
By "S. S."

Port Hughes circulates: "When a jury convicts an auto thief of petty



larceny it hands seems to the owner of the flivver that insult has been added to injury—

Gobs gone.

Streets dry.

B. V. D.'s back.

Getting warmer.

Who said freeze?

Overcoats shed again.

Y.M.B.L. fed scheduled tonight.

Doc White sporting a new coupe.

Fred White-Judge Rose Austinizing.

Judge Robertson tried first criminal case today.

Saturday last day to make income tax returns.

Patrolman Harper bagged two vags this morning.

Hoss-apiece score in Vrolyk-city injunction suit.

Sam McFadden sporting a new tie. Spring, Sam?

Barrecks in County Wexford also are deserted.

Noted lecturer at First M. E. church, South, tonight.

Validity of Corporation Court comes to bat tomorrow.

Cashier F. P. Woods sick, this morning, up in afternoon.

Major Bill Crossland journeyed to North End this afternoon.

Five hundred dollar bonds each asked of negro hi-jackers.

Bought that Y.M.B.L. ticket for St. Joe's exhibition games yet?

DAILY SHIP SCORE: In Port Arthur, 15; at Beaumont, 5.

Commissioner Morris down from Navith End for liquor hearings.

High school band to help advertise exhibition bull games this week-end.

Negro laid charged with stripping stalled car, to have hearing today or tomorrow.

City commissioners met and adjourned today without transacting any business.

Sailor Jack-Woods from Oklahoma, who has been looking for a job since Sunday, says he's located several old friends here and "a lad he went to school with."

Tankers Tustem and San Antonio maneuvered a long time in the ship canal below Port Arthur this a. m. before they managed to pass each other, mariners report.

Johnny Ware, Nederland business man, says there are lots of things he can buy in Beaumont, but when he got ready to find a real contractor, he came to Port Arthur.

Tether evening when the Cotillion club had a dance, a demure young lady whose name will not be divulged by S. S. under any circumstances whatever, got to wondering what the entrancing melody was that Moody's Gloom Chasers were playing. So when her escort got around to the end of the ball she asked him. Just as the orchestra stopped playing the young man told her in a voice loud enough for all to hear, "I Love You."

FAIR, WARMER

LOCAL FORECAST: Tonight fair; warmer; probably frost. Wednesday: warmer.

FOR EAST TEXAS: Tonight increasing cloudiness; warmer. Wednesday: heavy frost to the coast. Wednesday: increasing cloudiness; warmer.

WINDS ON TEXAS COAST: Moderate northerly to easterly.

Highest: Yesterday, 51; lowest: last night, 36; precipitation, none.

Forecast Today: Highest, 52; lowest, 38.

Sunrise this evening, 6:22 p. m. Sunrise tomorrow, 6:20 a. m.

Time of high and low water at Sabine Pass Light under normal conditions on Wednesday, March 12: High, 5:14 a. m.; 5:11 p. m. Low, 11:44 a. m.; 1:48 p. m.

TEXAS WEATHER AND ROADS: Dallas—Clear; roads good. Fort Worth—Clear; roads good. Houston—Clear; roads rough. San Antonio—Cloudy; roads fair.

## Demand Expulsion Or Exoneration For Accused Congressman

### ZIHLMAN BEGS FOR TRIAL NOW

Doesn't Want Daughtery To Have Charge

DAUGHERTY PROBE ON Committee Asks Power To Call Witnesses

LENROOT RESIGNS  
WASHINGTON, March 11.—Senator Lenroot, Wisconsin today resigned as chairman of the senate public lands investigating committee which has been investigating the naval oil scandal.

WASHINGTON, March 11.—Exoneration or expulsion from the house was demanded today by Representative Zihlman, Maryland, whose name has been mentioned in connection with charges against two congressmen recently by a grand jury in Chicago.

Zihlman himself begged the house to investigate him and opposed the judiciary committee's action in voting to turn over the whole affair to Attorney General Daughtery.

Senator Brookhart today asked the senate to broaden powers of the Daughtery investigating committee by permitting its members to go anywhere in the United States, issue subpoenas and take testimony.

Introducing a resolution for this purpose, Brookhart indicated that the committee might wish to deputize a committee member or members to go to the Mexican border or elsewhere to question witnesses.

### Y.M.B.L. FEASTS HERE TONIGHT

Prominent Men Due to Make Addresses

Arrangements for a banquet and the entire membership of the Y.M.B.L. tonight at 7:00 o'clock in the Trinity Methodist church were completed this morning when members of the organization's directorate conferred in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium and issued an urgent appeal to all Y.M.B.L.ers to "be on hand."

A splinter program to be featured by short talks from prominent men in local circles concerning the development of the city, her industries and probable solutions to her outstanding problems will be conducted following the banquet.

## Jefferson County Resident For 60 Years Dies Today

Mrs. Maggie Peoples Paine, 88, a resident of Jefferson county for the last 60 years, the major portion of which time she made her home in Sabine Pass, Texas, died this morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Lila Erickson, 1825 Eighth street, with whom she had lived for the past six years.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon from the home of Mrs. Erickson, and burial made in McGaffey cemetery. It is Sabine Pass, under the direction of J. E. Grammer, undertaker.

In the death of Mrs. Paine a pioneer who knew the early struggles of this section of Texas and marked its growth and development passed on. Her family was identified with the Sabine Pass community when it ranked as one of the leading ports on the Gulf coast, and in recent years with her son, Karl P. Paine, Pass, Mrs. Paine spent her closing years with her son, Karl P. Paine, of Fannett, and her daughter in Port Arthur.

Surviving Mrs. Paine beside the son and daughter are four grand sons, Harry E. Erickson, of Camden, Ark.; John H. Erickson, Karl P. Erickson and George W. Erickson, all of Port Arthur; and three granddaughters, Mrs. Ed Good and Misses Gertrude and Imogene Erickson, all of this city.

LARGE ATTENDANCE EXPECTED AT CLINIC  
Wednesday's child health clinic will be held at the Red Cross hut at 2 o'clock. Red Cross officials report an increased interest of Port Arthur mothers in the health clinic and Wednesday's clinic is expected to be attended by an unusually large number of mothers with their children.

## Y.M.B.L. Begins Clean-up Sale Of Ball Tickets

Will Port Arthur support the first big league baseball team that ever came here to train, or will Port Arthur fall flat on the job?

This is the question propounded to the citizens at large by the Y.M.B.L. directors, when, during a called conference in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium this morning, members of the directorate decided to launch a "clean up" drive to dispose of nearly 2,000 tickets for the exhibition baseball games here Saturday and Sunday between the St. Joseph Saints and the Beaumont Exporters.

Ticket Sales Slow  
This Fact Was Revealed: Tickets have not been selling, and it is imperative that they do sell, or Port Arthur will have failed in her first effort to bring a ball club to town for spring training.

And if Port Arthur fails in this undertaking, there is no need in the future for the professional "beef" to ask the question why baseball can't succeed here. It was further agreed.

The bringing of a Class A baseball club to this city for spring practice was made possible through the Young Men's Business League. The Young Men's Business League, however, (Turn to Page 2, Column 1.)

## 77 BODIES TAKEN OUT OF MINE

Hope About Abandoned For Other Miners

CASTLE GATE, Utah, March 11.—Tired and worn rescue crews worked doggedly today clearing the wreckage from the underground passage of the Utah Fuel company's mine No. 2, where 173 men were trapped by a gas explosion Saturday.

Although indications are that some of the workers survived, the rescue crews have not entirely given up hope that possibly a few of the men were able to build a safe barricade against the deadly gases and may be found alive.

Seventy-seven bodies, some burned and broken beyond all possibility of identification, were lying in the Knights of Pythias hall today. Officials in charge of the rescue work believed they would reach the remainder of the bodies during the day.

## Gas Main Extension On Thomas Surveyed

Preliminary survey looking to extension of its gas mains on Thomas boulevard and Twelfth street will be undertaken shortly by the People's Gas company, it was announced today.

A main, according to plans, will be extended from DeQueen to Stilwell boulevards, between Thomas boulevard and Twelfth street, this main to serve the left hand side of Thomas and right side of Twelfth.

## GIRLS' TRAINING SCHOOL LEADS IN EXPENSE

AUSTIN, March 11.—The cost of the state of Texas for maintaining the Girls Training School at Gainesville during February was \$7,400, or \$124.48 per capita, the highest per capita cost of any of the state institutions. Inmates in the school in February numbered sixty. The total cost for maintaining all institutions was \$225,352.

## Prodigal Cat Returns to Mother Kittens

SEVERAL droll cats around the Elks theater are bawling a sophisticated eye and bawling a knowing tongue in the left cheek. For "Tom," a feline which had been hanging around the theater as nemesis of all rampant rats which terrorize chorus girls and other back stage artists has been

littered in the theater and there I found my long lost prodigal Hector, who ran away from home to become an actor when just a kitten," she said today. "He was unacquainted under the name of 'Tom' and a man around the theater frowned when I went to pick him up. So I just let him follow me home. Doesn't he look happy."

He did look happy, but antelope (named after Socrates' wife) who is anything but a scold, veritable old mother cat with gray hair and white "feet" kept an anxious eye on him as he romped with Baby and Kitten and Sissy and Petty and Sugarfoot and her

littered that Hector, alias Tom, bo given to him tomorrow. She refused, and he went away with a heavy scowl and muttering that he would see about that, if there's any law in this town.

"If anyone tries to take Hector from me I am going to appeal to Mayor Logan and the city commission," she declared.

## DANIELS BARES STACK'S THREAT

Former Secretary of Navy Writes About Teapot

REFUSED OIL LEASE

Was Told G. O. P. Would Drain Naval Reserve

For the first time, Josephus Daniels, former secretary of the navy, tells in the following signed article the "inside story" of efforts made to get control of naval oil reserves during his administration. It is a story that links most interestingly with recent developments in the oil lease investigation.

By JOSEPHUS DANIELS  
Secretary of the Navy During Wilson Administration.

Written for The News.  
After Congress had set aside naval oil reserves, many persons came to the Navy Department to inquire about leases.

Letters from all sections of the country asking questions of every kind were received. Private interests wanted to develop the naval oil reserves.

My policy was, and always will be to keep the oil in the ground where it belongs for naval emergency. I let it be known that I would not consider leasing. My secretary gave persons who came to see me that message and generally succeeded in convincing them that we meant what we said.

So I do not know personally who might have come representing one interest or another.

Remembering Leo Stack  
There is one instance I do recall that links itself with names mentioned in the present oil leasing scandals and in the light of recent evidence, is quite interesting.

It was after the election, and the Wilson administration had but a few months more in office.

George Creel, who ran the Bureau of Public Information during the war, came into the office one day.

He told me he had friends in Colorado who were interested in leasing (Turn to Page 2, Column 2.)

## PT. ARTHUR BOY DIES OF BURNS

Playing With Matches Fatal To Jack Beauchamp

Fatally burned when his clothing caught fire from matches with which he was playing, little Jack Beauchamp, Beauchamp, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Beauchamp, of Griffin Residential park, died at 7:10 Monday afternoon.

The body of the child will be taken to Beaumont Wednesday at 7:30 a. m. and shipped over the Southern Pacific at 9:35 for Orange, under direction of J. E. Grammer, undertaker. The funeral services to be conducted at the Orange cemetery.

Ball bearings, selected from friends of the family, residing in Orange will be: G. A. Ingram, Col. Price, G. M. Zell, George W. Bland, T. C. Ford, William Winnall, Horace Watson, R. B. Gore, Joe Aranson, Percy Paschar, George Drejean and E. P. Brown, all of Orange.

M. Beauchamp, father of the child, is traveling salesman for the Houston Packing company, and was located in Kirbyville, Monday, following the accident. He reached Port Arthur a short while after his son had died. Surviving besides the parents are a brother, Dorrell, 11; and a sister, Miss Lucile Beauchamp, 18.

## Fatal Accident

Two Killed, 4 Injured At Grade Crossing

ALTUS, Okla., March 11.—Two persons were killed and four injured, two seriously when a Frisco passenger train demolished their automobile at a grade crossing near here late yesterday.

The dead: Mrs. W. W. Wallace, 50, and a six months old infant.  
The injured: W. W. Wallace, 50, husband of the dead woman; Willard Wallace, 25, son of the dead woman; and their five year-old son. All were from Altus.

## Secretary Ford?



HENRY FORD

By NEA Service  
WASHINGTON, March 11.—Henry Ford, secretary of the navy.

It's entirely possible, say students of politics.

The White House is known to want a big business man for the job. Henry fills that requirement.

President Coolidge, in this presidential year, is known to look kindly upon progressives for cabinet posts. Henry boasts the progressive label.

And, remember, too, that Ford recently came out in support of Coolidge for president.

## Fate of City Court Up for Decision

Fate of Port Arthur's Corporation Court tomorrow will be decided at Austin in the court of Criminal Appeals, where the case of the city vs. N. F. Christian, has been scheduled, following a writ of habeas corpus sued in that court last week.

Christian, charged with and convicted of vagrancy, through his attorneys took the case to the court of Criminal Appeals alleging the illegality of the court in this city. In the procedure, the city's side was upheld by Judge George C. O'Brien in 38th district court, where the appeal was taken from the local court.

Attack Home Rule Act  
The same grounds of attack again are alleged in the petition charging the unconstitutionality of the city court. Violation of the "Home Rule Act," which gives cities of over 5,000 inhabitants somewhat of a free rein in the matter of establishing the judiciary without interference from the state legislature is alleged along with the insufficiency of the caption of the bill passed by the legislature and the alleged failure to have advertised the bill in advance of its passage.

Another Ground Alleged  
In addition to these, three lines of attack which have been alleged in previous petitions to invalidate the court, another is also charged which was sustained by the higher courts in the case of the Bowie county district court. In this charge against the Port Arthur court it is alleged that in as much as the law prohibits the establishment of courts assuming some of or all of the powers of a district court at any other place than a county seat, the local court is invalid. Attorneys interested in attack on the city's court, charge the Corporation Court with assuming powers of a district court in violation to the law.

Attorney Fred White, representing the city and Judge Rose for Christian, are in Austin today and will represent their respective sides at the hearing there tomorrow.

## Rumor Says Coolidge Has Made Up His Mind

By A. L. Bradford  
United Press Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON, March 11.—The new secretary of the navy—whatever he may be is reported en route to Washington today for a conference with President Coolidge.

The president is said to have made up his own mind but there has been no final decision because the offer has not yet finally been made or accepted.

The two men whose names are now most prominently mentioned in the gossip are Governor Joseph M. Dixon of Montana and Curtis Dought Wilbur, chief justice of the California supreme court and a graduate of the United States naval academy.

## FEDERAL TROOPS KILL AMERICAN

Revolutionists Forced Back Without Depredations

NEFF SENT PROTEST

Second Offense in Two Weeks Reported

AUSTIN, Mar. 11.—Ranger Captain Frank Hamer who has just returned from El Paso to his headquarters in Austin reported that a band of forty Mexican rebels crossed the international line near Ysleta, El Paso county, but were forced to return to Mexican soil before any depredations were committed on Texas territory.

This is the second rebel band to cross the Rio Grande into Texas within the last two weeks. The other band crossed near Langtry, Val Verde county, entered that town, bought supplies and returned to Mexico where they raided an American-owned ranch and kidnapped three ranch laborers.

Murder American

The murder of E. C. Stephens, American citizen and employee of the American Smelting and Refining company, by Mexican government troops at Minus, near Parral, Mexico, on the night of March 6, was reported in a telegram received today by Governor Neff from a Texas resident at Parral. Stephens' former home in the United States was not given in the telegram.

The killing was done "by government troops known as Defensa Socialista and was unprompted." The murderer was reported to be in custody.

Asks For Consulate

The Texas appeal to Governor Neff to urge the United States government to take immediate steps "for protection of Americans in Mexico from government troops as well as bandits and to make vigorous prosecution of the murderer of Stephens." He was also urged to request the appointment of an American consul or vice consul at Parral, the nearest consulate being in Chihuahua City.

## R. D. Fears Injured

In Auto Collision

R. D. Fears, Jr., truck driver, suffered slight injuries when a light truck he was driving and an auto mobile driven by Joe Shutter, demonstrator for the Philip Inman company, collided at Fifth and Mobile Monday at 5 p. m. it was reported at Mary Gates hospital today where Fears was rushed in a Grammer ambulance after the accident. Fears received medical attention at the hospital and went to his home, attending physicians finding his injuries were not serious.

## One Killed, Score Injured in Wreck

By United Press

BURLINGTON, Vt., March 11.—One man was killed and more than a score injured when five cars of the Boston-Montreal express, traveling over the Central Vermont railroad left the tracks at a point between Bolton and Waterbury today. First reports here said that ten were dead but these later were denied by railway officials who said that George Gaines of Burlington was the only man to lose his life.

## Coolidge Urges Cut In Income Tax Now

By United Press  
WASHINGTON, March 11.—President Coolidge sent congress a message urging immediate adoption of the resolution for a 25 per cent reduction in taxes on 1923 incomes payable this year. Adoption of the resolution believed impossible by congressional leaders because of the widespread opposition from democrats and some republicans.

## TWO FARMERS KILLED IN DIFFERENT CRASHES

COTACADO, Texas, March 11.—Two farmers were accidentally killed here today, one in an automobile crash and the other when he fell from his truck wagon.

W. H. Porter, 65, was instantly killed when he fell from the top of a load of feed he was hauling to town. O. B. Stedding, farmer, was killed when his automobile crashed through the railing of the Colorado river bridge over an embankment.

## RED FISH BITING

Red fish are biting at the jetty. Albert Davis, assistant engineer on the ship's boat Florida, brought in 15 hefty reds and two sheepsheads when the Florida was out off the bar Monday, and Captain S. W. Livingston, bar pilot, followed Davis up with five red fish hauled in during the fishing of the day.











**A THOUGHT FOR TODAY**—THEY THAT GO DOWN TO THE SEA IN SHIPS, THAT DO BUSINESS IN GREAT WATERS; THESE SEE THE WORKS OF THE LORD, AND HIS WONDERS IN THE DEEP.—PS. 107:23, 24.

# The Editorial Mind

**However, comma—**  
Odd and Ends and Comments on Our Morning Mail

## NATIONWIDE BALLOT ENDORSES MELLON PLAN FOR TAX CUT

Andrew W. Mellon, secretary of the Treasury, submitted to the congress a taxation plan that received the approval of the financiers, business organizations, many of the great newspapers and a vast number of the foremost thinkers and economists of America. Regardless of this, seventeen insurgent congressmen and the democrats led by Jack Garner of Texas, made many blow holes in the Mellon bill.

It is true that the insurgents returned to the republican reservation after the blow-holes had been made and now the measure bears the brand of the G. O. P. and the elephant.

It carried these brands with it to the senate. A nationwide ballot was taken by the Literary Digest and all the returns are in. This ballot shows 967,677 in favor of the Mellon plan and 440,744 against it.

A vast deal of the opposition was found in the northwest where the wheat farmers had borrowed heavily from the banks and the banks have been clamoring for government aid. Now the Literary Digest is a publication that is untrammeled. That is, it has a policy and its editor makes it. He isn't for sale and neither are the reading columns of his publication.

Away down here in Texas the bankers, a vast majority of the business men, the manufacturers, the promoters, the developers of national resources, the empire builders of the southwest are not hostile to the Mellon plan but the politicians, almost to a man, condemn it. They say that Andrew W. Mellon is worth \$250,000,000, that he is interested in many gigantic corporations, that the soul of Mammon has usurped his mortal frame and that it would be impossible for him to originate a tax measure that would do justice to all the people.

Why not get a politician, a man like Cyclone Davis or a statesman like Dusty Rhodes of the free state of Van Zandt, to draft a tax plan for the benefit of all the people? Henry Ford is for the Mellon plan and has the courage of his convictions. He is the man who established the six dollar minimum wage for labor in America.

William Randolph Hurst is for the Mellon plan and he is a self admitted reformer who is for the masses and against the classes all the time. If Ford and Hurst are for the Mellon plan of taxation, are they right or have they deserted the cause of the dear people?

But joking aside, the nationwide poll taken by the Literary Digest resulted in an overwhelming victory for Andrew W. Mellon and what is known as the Mellon taxation plan.

## THIS IS FOR GERMAN BONDHOLDERS

Should Germany repudiate its internal debt there are thousands of Americans who are going to be stung in the vicinity of their pocket books. They hold more than a billion dollars of German bonds, their money was invested in good faith and now they stand a chance of losing the billion.

According to New York papers formation of a protective committee to mobilize American public opinion is proposed. Why should public opinion be mobilized? These investors bought bonds, thinking they had a good thing, for a very low price. They thought they had a good thing and would make a clean-up some day.

Now the outlook is gloomy for a successful clean-up and the investors are seeking sympathy and perhaps an organized political movement to back up their demands. Perhaps they will ask Uncle Sam to reimburse them, taking the money from their fellow American citizens who did not buy German bonds and who never buy foreign bonds of any kind.

## RUM FLEET CHASERS

Uncle Sam is going to build himself another navy. Congress has appropriated fourteen millions of dollars to enable the coast guard to recondition twenty destroyers and by 323 fast motor boats for use against rum runners. Governor Pat Morris Neff of Texas would not throw away this money if he were at the great ship of state. He would employ the regular army and the regular navy to shoot the rum runners into the promised land.

Josephus Daniels would give the officers and gentlemen and Jackies of the navy plenty of work to do while there was a rum runner left on earth.

## Quillen's Paragraphs

Cynicism is just the conviction that decent men are too shy to be caught.

Insanity may be caused by shock, or by the advice of a good lawyer.

The poor we have with us entire, also. They can't afford an operation.

Primitive man was naked, but he didn't have sense enough to know it was art.

Moderns may be a little more hard-boiled, but not quite so many are stoned.

Few statues are erected to men whose chief concern is the way their hair looks.

Another danger in the negro migration is that 'jossuns may become a pest in the south.

A hick town is a place where any stir after 7 p. m. means that it is lodge night.

Fortunately, closed cars are not essential in the belt where tobacco is considered edible.

In the old days a doctor's diagnosis didn't consist in reaching for a hypodermic needle.

The way to make an ideal husband is to begin spanking him for selfishness at the age of three.

The wolf seldom hangs about the door unless he observes the stock hanging about the chimney.

The pioneers had their little troubles, but they never tried to get a clinker out of the furnace.

There seems to be a social rule that a woman isn't entitled to a miniature dog until she has three double chins.

There are a few old-fashioned girls left. You find them sitting against the wall during the dances.

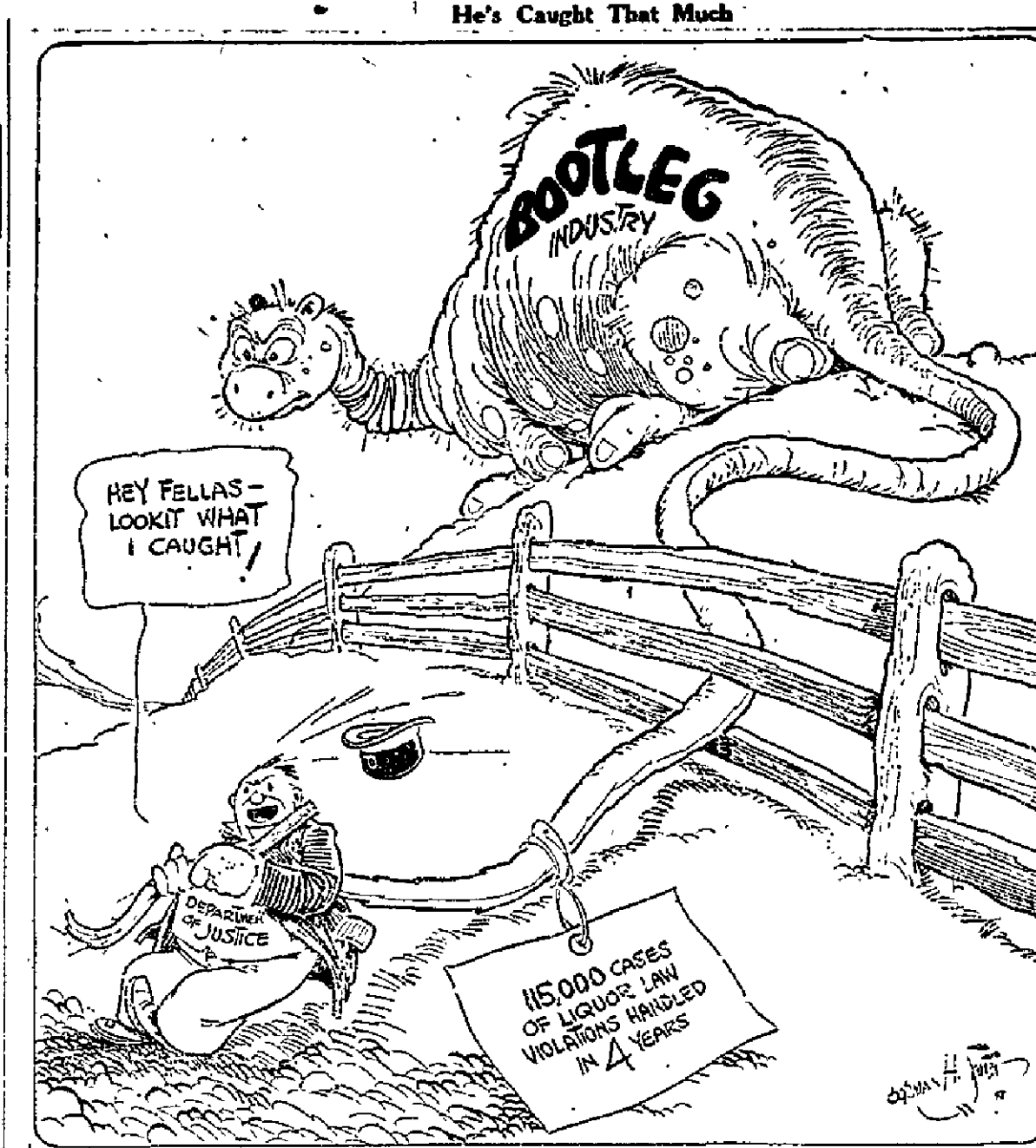
If old Dad has "something lighter for spring wear" it will be because he has worn it him.

As an indoor sport, gossip doesn't seem nearly so popular since somebody mentioned damage suits.

The nice thing about grocery and clothing stores is that you can get what you want without winking.

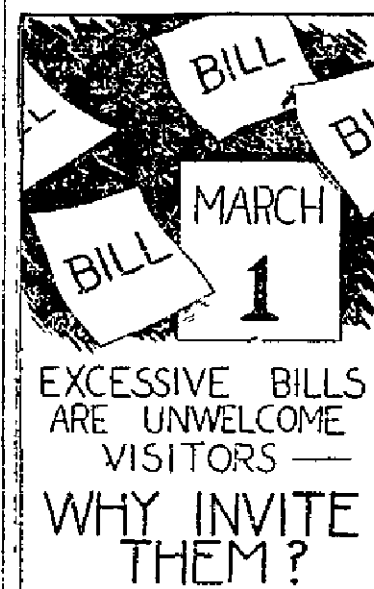
Correct this sentence: "That's all right," smiled the banker; "we'll be glad to renew it for you."

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## Your Money AT WORK

Brief but Important Lessons in Finance, Markets, Stocks, Bonds and Investments



When you charge a purchase, enter a notation on the family expense ledger. Then you can tell at a glance when your limit for the month is reached. Operated with some such check, a charge account is a convenience instead of a burden.

"Yes, I know we cannot pay for it now," said Mrs. Jones as she and her husband discussed the purchase of a lamp for the living room. "But we can charge it."

When the lamp was delivered, it was found that the curtains looked shabby in contrast, so new curtains were bought and a new cover for the piano—the total running up to considerably more than the lamp's price—could comfortably take care of when the first of the month arrived.

Thus does the Jones family, like many others, live from bills to bills. The first of the month plunges them into gloom from which they emerge a little after the tenth to run up more bills.

The system of charging goods which are paid for by one check or cash payment, on the first of the following month facilitates buying, eliminates the need of carrying much cash and has other obvious advantages. It has come to be an accepted form of doing business.

Why do unpleasant stories attract more attention than pleasant ones? Why, for instance, does the thief have a big audience in fiction or the news, while an honest man is usually ignored?

Asked these questions, William Allen White says he doesn't know. A surprising answer, for a veteran editor.

"Unpleasant stories," notably crime, get attention because they are the exceptions. One man with a dagger or pistol arrests the attention of the 108 million Americans who are not murderers.

The unusual is fiction's spotlight get. Most people are reasonably decent, law-abiding and honest—so much so that the exception excites general curiosity.

GAMBLING

The securities listed on the New York Stock Exchange now total over 58 million dollars. These stocks and bonds represent property, organizations and business activity. To the average patron of stock exchanges, they represent merely chips

in a gambling game—a game in which a fourth of our entire national wealth is in the "pot."

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FORWARD

Machinery and science have worked such magic on the farm that 300 bushels of wheat are now grown on the same acreage that grew only 50 bushels in 1850. These are average figures for the whole country. Machinery has increased production even more, in cities.

In the last analysis, is the farmer much better off than his ancestor of the days before the Civil war? Or is the city man? The answer depends on how you define happiness. If money and material possessions are the measures, material has brought progress. The price in character de-

velopment and wholesome enjoyment of life—that price is fearfully high.

FORGERS

Forgers cause the nation a yearly loss of at least 50 million dollars, claims a bonding company. It's an old story. You read it year after year.

Fear

Meanwhile, the nation spends several times 50 million dollars to protect itself against forgery. Is the game worth the candle? It certainly is. Without this expensive vigilance, forgery losses would be many times as big as now. Protection always is expensive, and nearly always it is worth the cost, times over.

He's Caught That Much

Colonel Holes, soldier and adventurer, returns to England, his native land, when war with Japan is declared. It is dangerous for Holes to secure a commission in the English army, because his name is famous. Holes, father of the colonel, on the warrant for the execution of the late king.

The Duke of Buckingham hires Holes to abduct the beautiful actress, Sylvia Farquhar. It is dark when the colonel carries her off and when he arrives at the house, Buckingham has come. Holes is a horror-stricken man when he sees that Sylvia is an old sweetheart.

When the duke arrives upon the scene, the colonel demands Sylvia's immediate release. When Buckingham releases the two women in a duel, Sylvia is a horrified spectator.

NO GO ON WITH THE STORY! Holes grins at him, a little though when I saved your life that night at Worcester that I should be faced with the need to take it thus."

And then the blades ground together again, and they were engaged in deadly earnest.

CHAPTER XIX

I do not suppose that any two men ever engaged with greater confidence than those. Each regarded the other half contemptuously, as a fool rushing upon his doom.

Holes was a man of his hands, trained in the hardest school of all, and although for some months now sword practice had been a thing neglected by him, yet it never occurred to him that he should find serious opposition in a creature whose proper environment was the court rather than the camp. The Duke of Buckingham, whilst making no parade of the fact, was possibly the best blade of his day in England. He regarded the present affair merely as a tiresome interruption to be brushed aside as speedily as possible.

Therefore he attacked with vigor, and his very contempt of his opponent made him careless. It was well for him in the first few seconds of that combat that Holes had reflected that to kill the duke would be much too serious a matter in its ultimate consequences and possibly in its immediate ones. For Buckingham's lackey were at hand, and after disposing of their master, he must still run the gauntlet of those fellows before he could win freedom with Nancy. His aim, therefore, must be to disarm or disable the duke, then, holding him at his mercy, compel from him the pledge to suffer their unobscured departure which the duke at present refused.

Thus it happened that in the first moments of the engagement he neglected the openings which the duke's weakness afforded him, intent instead upon reaching and crippling the duke's sword-arm.

In the background in a tall armchair to which she had sunk and in which she now reclined, her strength, white with terror, her pulses, damming, her breathing so shortened that she felt as if she must suffocate, sat Nancy Sylvester, the only woman witness of that encounter of which she was herself the subject.

Suddenly there was a change of tactics. Buckingham moved swiftly aside, away to his left; it was almost a leap; and as he moved he lunged in the new line he now confronted, a lunge calculated to take Holes in the flank. But Holes shifted his feet with the speed of a dancer, and, as he did so, he saw his opponent in this new line, ready to meet the hand-driven point when it was delivered.

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## YOUR HEALTH

By Dr. C. C. Robinson

AVOIDING FAT

The day of guesswork in regard to diet is past. A careful study of your case by a real physician will determine your standing in the health column.

If you are fat or getting fatter, he will be able by root tests and the x-ray, to direct your daily dietary habits, to that real food satisfaction may be obtained without increasing the belt line.

There is no need of eating fat except possibly through disease. If you are not lazy, if your habits conform to the rules of health in regard to proper diet and your exercise program is carried out the way you carry out your eating or business program, a normal body with fat, muscle and weight properly distributed will result.

In the desire to be what you are not lies the danger of doing the thing for which you will be sorry. Do not under any consideration be tempted to indulge in any fat "dieting."

Common foodstuffs may be divided into certain groups, which in measure correspond to the needed chemical elements in the body. There are food chemical elements, which advise their foods supply all these natural elements, so your life processes will be fully complete by using their compounds.

But I do not advise any such treatment. Science has solved the digestive problem in a most conclusive manner. You can avoid being fat by an intelligent understanding of proper food values and how to govern your life and its digestive system.

## Dr. Frank Crane's Editorial

DESTROYING THE SEED CORN

BY DR. FRANK CRANE

When a nation survives, matures, neglects or in any wise violates its children. It is destroying the seed corn. Of all seditions and short-sighted policies, these that involve the destruction of the health or the neglect of the training of the children are the worst.

When the subject of child labor comes up many people are inclined to peep-poo-h it. When people do not see children in their immediate vicinity engaged in stunting labor they are inclined to think that the cry against child labor comes from fanatics and sentimentalists. As a matter of fact, one child out of every twelve, between the ages of ten and sixteen years, a total of over a million children, was reported by the 1920 census as "culturally employed."

These children, according to the facts collected by Harold Cary, can be found in cotton, silk and woolen mills, in canneries, cigar factories, coal mines and restaurants; also in tenements making such things as clothing, flowers, feathers, jewelry and bed springs; also in beet fields and in other agricultural work.

A certain amount of work is good for children provided the work is a part of their educational training and tends to make them good citizens and to improve their health and intelligence.

But most of the child labor in the United States is not of this kind.

For instance, the Children's Bureau reports on the boys who work in coal mines as follows:

"These boys worked in the constant roar which the coal makes as it rushes down the chute, is broken in the crushing machines, or sorted in the shakers. Black coal dust is everywhere, covering the windows and filling the lungs of the workers. The state is sharp, so that the slate pickers often cut or bruise their hands; the coal is carried down the chute by water, and this means sore and swollen hands for the pickers. The first few weeks after the boys begin work, their fingers bleed almost continuously and are called 'red-top' by the other boys."

We have not gone far yet; we have not seen all there is to see, for we have discussed only mills and mines, two of the worst things and yet not the greatest. There are over a million children at regular work today. It is a thing which the minority is putting over on the majority. We know congress is against it, for instance, because it has passed two colonial child labor laws. But both were thrown out by the supreme court, big and baggage. Conditions are getting worse again. Those laws did some good, but it is amazing how the situation has gone back since they were killed.

Mr. Cary points out that the majority of the people of the country do not want this sort of thing. A small minority, aided by inertia and indifference is putting over an appalling condition on the majority.

Congress has passed two successive laws endeavoring to protect the child by reasonable control of child labor. Each time the United States Supreme Court declared the laws unconstitutional. It is time, now, to pass a Constitutional Amendment.

The constitution has already been amended a number of times, but not in any instance has the need been so great for an amendment as in this matter of child labor.

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in a gambling game—a game in which a fourth of our entire national wealth is in the "pot."

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FORWARD

Machinery and science have worked such magic on the farm that 300 bushels of wheat are now grown on the same acreage that grew only 50 bushels in 1850. These are average figures for the whole country. Machinery has increased production even more, in cities.

In the last analysis, is the farmer much better off than his ancestor of the days before the Civil war? Or is the city man? The answer depends on how you define happiness. If money and material possessions are the measures, material has brought progress. The price in character de-

velopment and wholesome enjoyment of life—that price is fearfully high.

FORGERS

Forgers cause the nation a yearly loss of at least 50 million dollars, claims a bonding company. It's an old story. You read it year after year.

Fear

Meanwhile, the nation spends several times 50 million dollars to protect itself against forgery. Is the game worth the candle? It certainly is. Without this expensive vigilance, forgery losses would be many times as big as now. Protection always is expensive, and nearly always it is worth the cost, times over.

He's Caught That Much

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Therefore he attacked with vigor, and his very contempt of his opponent made him careless. It was well for him in the first few seconds of that combat that Holes had reflected that to kill the duke would be much too serious a matter in its ultimate consequences and possibly in its immediate ones. For Buckingham's lackey were at hand, and after disposing of their master, he must still run the gauntlet of those fellows before he could win freedom with Nancy. His aim, therefore, must be to disarm or disable the duke, then, holding him at his mercy, compel from him the pledge to suffer their unobscured departure which the duke at present refused.

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# FOUR VESSELS GOING ABROAD

## Half of Nine Sailings To Foreign Ports

Four of the nine ships sailing from Galveston, Texas, Monday and Tuesday were destined for foreign ports, agents reported here today.

The vessels bound abroad were the British tanker Offield and Luteana, the French tanker Radiolene, and the tanker Darden. The Luteana, loaded at the Gulf Refining company's Port Arthur terminals, cleared for England, for orders; the Darden, also loaded at the Gulf company's terminals here, sailed for Tampico; and the Radiolene and the Offield both taking cargo at the Magnolia company's terminals at Beaumont and Sabine, sailed for France and England, respectively.

Because of the heavy cargo assembled in Port Arthur for delivery to Port Newark, the Transmarine corporation's steamships Surico and Suboteo, leaving at the Coastwise docks, will not sail as early as was originally scheduled. The Surico, expected to finish loading and get away the middle of the week, is now listed to sail Saturday, and the Suboteo, slated to go out Saturday, will not get ready before next week.

**ARRIVED MARCH 11**  
Vessel, Flag, Tonnage, Agent, Location  
South-east, 1612, from Galveston to Beaumont, Hall Shipping company.  
Rayo, 2223, from New York to Beaumont, Magnolia company.  
Pencil, Castle (Br.), 2112, from U. K. ports to Beaumont, John E. Jones company.  
Gulf of Mexico, 4867, from Bayonne to Port Arthur, Gulf company.  
San Antonio (Mex.), 4867, from New Orleans to Port Arthur, Sydney C. Collin company.  
Sun, 3501, from Philadelphia to Beaumont, Magnolia company.  
Union City (Br.), 2837, from U. K. ports to Port Neches, John E. Jones company.  
Solitaire, 2627, from New Orleans to Port Arthur, Texas company.  
Dirigo, 3161, from New York to Port Arthur, Texas company.  
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**SAILED MARCH 11**  
Offield (Br.), 3062, from Beaumont to Sabine, Chas. Martin company.  
Luteana (Br.), 2696, from Port Arthur to Dartmouth, Sydney C. Collin company.  
Radiolene (Fr.), 2303, from Beaumont for France, Chas. Martin company.  
Texas, 5045, from Port Arthur for Port Neches, Texas company.  
Louisiana, 1767, from Port Arthur for Savannah, Texas company.  
Tuscon, 4255, from Port Arthur for Brunswick, Ga., Atlantic company.  
Courier, 2859, from Port Arthur for Boston, Gulf company.  
Lightburne, 7151, from Port Arthur for Norfolk, Texas company.  
Darden, 3155, from Port Arthur for Tampico, Sydney C. Collin company.

**IN PORT ARTHUR**  
Coastwise Docks  
Surico, 2174, Transmarine corporation, Texas company.  
Suboteo, 2171, Transmarine corporation, Texas company.  
Patrick Henry, 3259, Lakes-Satowich.  
Shenandoah, 5113, Texas company.  
Atlantic Maru (Jap.), 3274, Texas company.  
Solitaire, 2627, Texas company.  
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**SHIP BASIN**  
Ship Marion Chalkott, 1510, Chas. Martin company.  
Ship No. 2  
B. R. S. G. White, 379, Lind up.  
Brig Geneva, 452, Manger T. Hall company.

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**BAROMETER READING**  
The corrected reading of the barometer (reduced to sea level) at the U. S. weather bureau office in Port Arthur, Texas, on Tuesday, March 11, at 7 a. m., was 30.17 inches. This closely approximates 70.5 millibars.

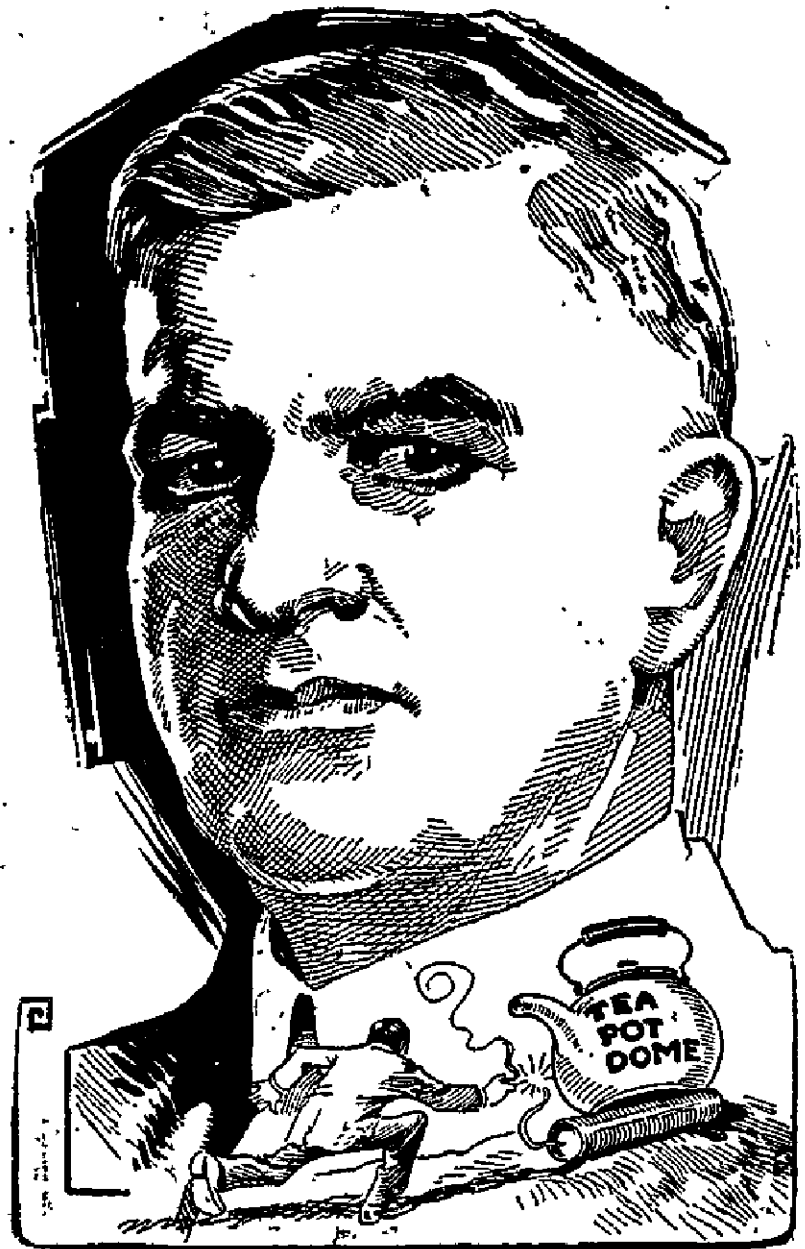
**TIDE REPORT**  
Actual height of tide in canal at Port Arthur on Tuesday, U. S. engineering department, at 8 a. m., Tuesday, was 9 (nine-tenths of a foot) above mean Gulf level.

**VESSELS DUE TO ARRIVE**  
Darden, due March 12 to Lakes-Satowich.  
Roscic, due March 17, to Sydney C. Collin company.  
Heffron, due March 31, to Lakes-Satowich.  
Grove, due April 1, to E. Papich.

**OBSTRUCTIONS TO NAVIGATION**  
The following were issued through the New Orleans branch of the United States Coast Guard:

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# Editor in New Mexico Blew Lid Off Teapot



CARL C. MAGEE

WASHINGTON, March 11.—Albuquerque, New Mexico, is famous for its healthy climate. It has made many sick folks well.

Yet it is the very healthfulness of Albuquerque that is responsible for the present trouble of Albert B. Fall, former U. S. Senator and cabinet member, and for the "nerves" of a

States hydrographic office: The steamer Dusseldorf has stranded on Quintero reefs in approximately latitude 32 degrees, 11 minutes S., longitude 71 degrees 33 minutes W., on the following bearings: Ventana Point, 103 degrees; Vent. m. Point, 144 degrees; West tangent to Molles peninsula, 185 degrees.

Solitario Bank buoy has dragged its moorings and is now located about one mile southward of its proper position.

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**"When Odds Are Even"**

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On Mondays, Saturdays and Sundays there will be musical comedy matinees.

que he Magee not been on the center of an inside political fight in New Mexico the past four years.

**He Raised Questions**  
And had Magee not been on the inside of what was what in New Mexico, he would not have stood before the senate committee investigating Fall's leasing of naval oil lands and demanded:

"Where did he get it?"  
That query, first raised before the committee by Magee, turned the attention of the committee from routine consideration of whether the leases made by Fall had been wisely made to the matter of whether corrupt considerations had entered into their making.

Following Magee's challenge of "Where did he get it?" the committee unearthed the evidence of \$100,000 delivered to Fall in a satchel by the son of Edward Doheny, one of Fall's allies.

When Magee went to Albuquerque in 1920, he purchased the Albuquerque Morning Journal, then owned by Fall, John W. Weeks, now secretary of war, the China Copper Company, and other interests.

He launched the administration of school lands which gave grazing privileges to a few influential politicians.

He dug into the tax situation which let rich mining interests pay low taxes if they made big political contributions.

He revealed how private bank accounts were fattened by the interest

on public funds privately deposited. Then his notes were called. In the showdown, Magee was forced to sell his paper.

Immediately, though, he started another.

Followed every sort of pressure and intimidation—suit for libel, citations for contempt of court, fines, sentences to prison.

But, fighting every inch, Magee so roused popular support that the governor was forced to pardon him.

**Fall Broke, Then—**  
"When I was called to Washington to testify before the committee investigating the oil leases," Magee says, "I simply studied the layout of federal affairs."

"I knew that Fall had been broke in 1920. He told me so at the time he sold the Journal. His taxes hadn't been paid for 10 years, his ranch was run down and dilapidated."

"I knew that the oil leases were made in 1921. I knew that by 1922 a new air of prosperity had come to Fall's ranch. I knew that he had made large deposits of cash in Albuquerque banks."

He had bought adjoining ranch properties, built a hydro-electric plant and spent large sums in improving his place. His back taxes had been paid.

Viewing the situation in the light of normal New Mexico politics, the inevitable question was: "Where did he get it?"

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## CHURCH OPENING WILL BE SOON

### Lutheran's Hope to Use Building April 6

The new Trinity Lutheran church building, located on Fifth and San Augustine avenues, will probably be formally dedicated on Sunday, April 6. Tentative plans for this date and for the dedication services will be submitted to a meeting of the voting members of the church Thursday night at a meeting at the church, Fourteenth and San Antonio avenues, at 7:30 o'clock.

The new building is rapidly nearing completion. The art glass windows are now being put in the work on which will be completed this

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Carmel Meyers  
—In—  
**"The Danger Point"**

week. The grounds surrounding the church are being leveled and made attractive. Work on the interior of the church will go forward rapidly now church officials declare and everything will probably be in readiness for the dedication day early in April.

The French government is considering the construction of a railroad from Algeria across the Sahara desert to the Niger River with a possible extension to the Congo.

The fellow who—  
saw a poor picture  
and since condemn  
all others is simply  
a  
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# COUNTRY WET BY RADIO VOTE

Kansas. Dry Leader, Would Modify Law

CHICAGO, March 11.—Complete tabulation of votes cast in the radio poll on prohibition here, showed 31,185 persons favoring modification of the Volstead act and 12,453 opposing the proposition.

All sections of the United States and Canada voted, the Edgewater Beach radio station officials announced. Every state gave a majority to modification.

**Kansas Goes Wet**

Kansas, leader in the dry movement, voted wet by 241 to 121. This gave the "wet" vote a margin of 11,772 dry. The rest of Illinois cast 6,770 wet votes against 3,729 dry ones.

Wisconsin's vote was 3,700 wet and 1,691 dry. Michigan's vote was 1,003 wet and 141 dry. The New England belt voted wet.

Consideration of the vote in favor of modification of the Volstead act was held in 15 to 20 minutes. Illinois (Hart) went wet by 73 to 7.

**Alabama Vote Close**

The race was close in Alabama where the vote was 56 to 47 for modification.

O. G. Chubb, one of the dry speakers in the weekly debate that preceded the poll Sunday night, said today he felt the vote was not really representative of the feelings of the country.

England will never be able to produce more than half the quantity of wheat required for home consumption, say authorities.

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Fresh roasted coffee, tea and spices. Wholesale and retail. Free delivery. 304 Austin Ave. Phone 829.

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Refrigerators, ice boxes, and all kinds of household appliances. Complete installation. Prompt service. 212 Procter St. Phone 125-W.

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SUTHERLIN, at the large street corner.

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BUSINESS place, corner Houston Avenue and 4th for rent. Apply 212 Procter St.

BON TON Millinery going out of business, everything going at sacrifice. 212 Procter St. Phone 125-W.

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ONE of the best corners with 8-room double house, garage, servant house on 8th street. This lot is 10 feet front, 140 feet deep. Will make an ideal home. Apply 212 Procter St. Phone 125-W.

**FOR SALE OR TRADE**

Nice new 5-room modern home on well tiled corner lot, facing lake. Will consider well located lot or first vendor lien notes. Apply 2801 11th st.

**WANTED**

Have several clients wanting vacant lots, or houses and lots between 7th and 9th st., and between 1000 and 1600 block. Phone me your locations, prices and terms.

**F. E. NAIGELI**  
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**Y-O-U**

Have been waiting to grab a genuine bargain, well, old boy, don't wait another minute, you may lose this deal.

**NOW LISTEN**

Here's a 6-room home on Stilwell blvd. in the 600 block, has every convenience of the city. The house is cypress and was built for a home. You are just paying what they want for a vacant lot on this street when you buy this home.

Don't stop to think, buy this property for you make \$1000 in cold cash when you place your money in this home. When it comes to location or neighborhood the boulevard speaks for itself. \$4,200 takes it. \$2222 cash, balance, well, it's easy.

**D. KINARD**  
A Very Happy Home for Less  
401 Procter St. Phone 310

Here is a nice home. 8 room modern, hot and cold water, 5 room modern, corner lot, facing lake, double garage, \$2400 cash, balance \$100 per month. On 5th street this is a bargain.

**GEO. W. GUTE**  
Over Hart Drug Store  
Phone 266

Corner lot 1800 block 5th with 8 room home and 5 room home, all modern, a high class home in fine neighborhood, all goes for \$10,500, with \$2500 cash, balance at \$100 per month and interest.

**AVANT REALTY CO.**  
Phone 1303

**FOR SALE—Five rooms and bath on Houston Ave. Phone 223-J.**

**FOR SALE by owner five rooms, bath with hot and cold water, sleeping porch and out-house. Must leave town at once. Phone 245-W.**

**IF YOU HAVE A BARGAIN I CAN SELL IT. CALL F. L. DISMICK, 3212 ROOM 204 DEUTER BLDG.**

**\$200 cash and \$35.00 Monthly**

Brand new 5-room home, strictly modern and first class in every way. Only \$2000. Must leave town at once. Phone 245-W.

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HAPPY HOMES FOR LESS  
101 Procter Phone 310

2126 Crest gets new 5-room home. Can move right in. Notes \$20 per month.

Dated 5-room modern house, 800 block 17th street. Will sell at a bargain. Call 2126 Crest.

**SEE MACKAY BROS**  
Merchants Bank Bldg. Phone 1770

**CORNER SEVENTH STREET AND LIBERTY**  
Avenue, seven rooms, 2-story, bath, sleeping porch, and out-house. \$2000. Five-room cottage with garage, close in, a terrific bargain, make your own terms.

Six-room on 11th, a wonderful buy at \$2000, only \$500 needed to get possession.

Four-room on 13th, on lot, gas, all modern, small, perfect down.

**LIGON & HUNT**  
14 Terminal Bldg. Phone 2771

Corner lot and 5 room modern home for \$2700, can you equal this bargain anywhere else?

**AVANT REALTY CO.**  
Phone 1303

**NEW modern 5-room house, 2004 16th for sale by owner, reasonably priced or will trade for lots.**

**SEE THESE BEFORE YOU BUY**  
Three-room on 5th, lot 14th, a bargain. \$1500, \$250 cash, \$25 a month.

Five-room, corner, new, 8 1/2th, \$2000, \$250 cash, \$25 a month.

Four-room, corner 14th, facing lake, only \$2000, \$300 cash, \$20 a month.

Five-room, corner 11th, facing lake, \$1500, \$250 cash, \$25 a month.

Six-room on corner lot, new, on De Quen, \$2500, terms.

Eight-room and 2-room, 5th street, corner lot, \$2000, \$300 cash, \$20 a month.

Six-room on 11th street, a real home, all modern, \$2000, \$300 cash, \$20 a month.

Bargains in all parts of city, every day.

**R. S. TATUM**  
104 5th St. Phone 1596

**WANTED TO BUY**

Five, six or seven-room home on 3rd or 4th street. Will make \$1200 to \$1500 cash down payment if suited.

**W. Y. CRAIG**  
PHONE 166

**BARGAIN FROM OWNER**  
Four-room, five rooms and bath, new. Must be seen to be appreciated. Call at 2204 14th.

**BARGAIN FROM OWNER**  
Five rooms and bath, new, priced at \$1200. Call at 2229.

Room 304 Deuter Bldg.

**The Standard Credit Co.**  
Office in Texas, building 42 to 50 without security to working men and women. Rates lowest—service best.

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**REAL ESTATE—GENERAL**

12 1/2 acres of sandy loam soil and dandy little 4-room home with garage on 8th street, all enclosed in high state of cultivation, on Country Club road. \$2430; \$2000 cash.

5 room home, 1200 block 14th st., new house, a sacrifice at \$2100. This place is worth \$3500. You can have it for \$2700 cash and balance at \$25 and interest.

**AVANT REALTY CO.**  
Phone 1303

**REAL ESTATE—SUGARDAN**

**LOTS IN THE NEWPORT HEIGHTS**

Are now for sale, this is one of the prettiest additions on the paved highway and the price of the lots are just about one-half the price that they ask you for lots in adjoining additions.

I will be on the addition every evening from 3 to 6 p. m. Remember every buyer can get a corner lot. Prices range from \$175 to \$300 for real good residence lots.

Phone 310.

And let us show you over the addition. Automobiles wait at the office to show you over the property.

**D. KINARD, Agt. 401 Procter**

The last chance to get acreage in the center of subdivisions close to city on high ridge. You will regret it if you let this pass you by.

10 acres, 660 feet on corner of two roads, for \$4500.

Figure out how many lots this will make and the profit to you.

Call for further discussions.

**FRED LUTEMAN**  
205 Deuter Bldg.  
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3 lots, one a corner, and 2 lovely homes with well water, cement sidewalks, fig trees, strawberries and all kinds of beautiful flowers, garden, chicken yard and garage, with other but houses. This is an ideal country home. A place where you escape city taxes and can have all the city conveniences, on main shell street, 2 blocks to interurban station.

**AVANT REALTY CO.**  
Phone 1303

**FOR SALE—Two and one-half acres at Port Arthur, 2500, equity, cheap. If you want a good buy, Room 304 Deuter Bldg. Call 2229.**

**THE PORT ARTHUR NEWS**  
Is on sale at the following places:

Texas News Stand  
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Whelan's News Stand  
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Thomas Car Barn News Stand  
John A. Brown, 250 Procter  
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News Service Co.  
Model 212 Procter

**BEAUMONT**  
Cozy News Stand  
Crestal News Stand  
Beaumont News Stand  
John A. Brown, 250 Procter  
Smith-White Drug Co.  
Quick Delivery Service  
Nederland Drug Co.

**PORT NECHES**  
Thomas Car Barn News Stand  
John A. Brown, 250 Procter  
The Atlas News Co., 220 E. Houston

**SAN ANTONIO**  
Gunter-Hood News Stand  
The Atlas News Co., 220 E. Houston

**NEW ORLEANS**  
Wagner & Johnson, 417 1/2 Main  
Wallace News Stand

**FOR SALE**

Procter street lot in New Model Addition, \$2500, half cash, balance \$25 per month.

**W. Y. CRAIG**  
PHONE 166

**If You Really Want Cash For Your Real Estate**  
And will make the price to prove that you mean business.

**SEE D. KINARD**  
HAPPY HOMES FOR LESS  
401 Procter Phone 310

**MODEL ADDITION LOTS**

On 8th, 9th, 10th, and 11th streets—10% down, balance long monthly payments.

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430 Austin Ave.  
Phone 98

**REAL ESTATE—PORT NECHES**



# FOIL ONE THING HE AIN'T GOT

Oil Makes Texas Black Croesus Overnight

SAN FRANCISCO, March 11.—Work is the roughest thing that Mista William B. Cochran, late of Fort Worth and Loving county, Texas, wants everything else but in this respect, Mista Cochran is like a lot of other humans. But in this particular case, wantin' is havin'.

"From now on, world, me and work don't speak no more," declares Mista Cochran, as he fondles a bank book showing \$250,000 deposited to his credit—\$250,000 heres that he can draw a check against any time, and spend as he pleases.

Until two days ago, Mista Cochran, as his admiring friends now call him, was the sole owner, and also the sole motive power of an "auto laundry" conducted on space rented from a downtown auto parking station. His sole assets were a leagha of horse, and a sponge, a chamols skin and a strong right arm.

Before that, Mista Cochran had a similar motor laundry, with about the same assets, in Fort Worth. He felt the urge to see the world, however, so he came to California. Before he left, though, somebody introduced him to buy 80 acres of land in Loving county, at \$10 an acre on the installment plan.

Mista Cochran used to live—in fact was born—in Loving county, and he bought the land right under. Before he departed from the Lone Star state, however, he went out and took a look at his estate. It was all sand. But Mista Cochran was an honest man and kept up his installments.

Recently they struck oil in Loving county, but Mista Cochran did not know anything about it. So he kept on managing auto's. What happened after that is best told by our hero himself.

"Thursday mornin' I was workin' hard, unmiddin' autos, when two white gentlemen calls on me," says Mista Cochran. "We wants your land and is willin' to slip you 350,000 bucks for it," says they.

"How come?" says I.

"They's oil on it—does you take it or does you leave, it?" asks the white folks.

"I don't do nothin' else but," says I—"and do you is."

Mista Cochran, who is only a few shades darker than coal tar, and who, before the advent of oil in Loving county, was quite distinguished among his colored brethren, already is the leading social light in San Francisco's black belt. His hand was purchased by one of the biggest oil companies in the Mid-continent field.

## Krumbles Showered On Pt. Arthur Today

Port Arthur is to be visited by a shower of Krumbles this week, according to T. E. Barnett, in charge of a Kellogg sampling crew which will work this town.

The crew were started to work yesterday morning in conjunction with a number of advertisements which will appear in The News concerning the Kellogg products, Krumbles, Corn Flakes and Bran Flakes.

In connection with the sampling of the town by the Kellogg organization, Barnett is discussing the manufacture of the products of his concern told of the manufacture of Krumbles.

"Only the finest grade of wheat is used," said Barnett, "in the manufacture of this breakfast food, being cleaned thoroughly by machinery and a centrifugal washer.

"Following the washing process the product is shredded and toasted, traveling a distance of some 600 feet in the operation on an arrangement of belts. In a short time the wheat berries having been shredded and toasted are ready for the packing department."

Barnett said all employees of the Kellogg factory wore white suits, no one being permitted to work in street clothes.

## Heavy Snowstorm Hits Washington

WASHINGTON, March 11.—Washington was blanketed under six inches of slush and snow early today and the worst storm the capital experienced this winter showed signs of abating. Driving rain turned the nights heavy snowfall into a morass.

Eczema on Feet  
One man says he had it over twenty years and that one bottle Imperial Eczema Remedy cured him. All druggists are authorized to refund your money if it fails.—Adv.

## Swamp-Root For Kidney Ailments

There is only one medicine that really stands out pre-eminent as a medicine for curable ailments of the kidneys, liver and bladder.

Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root stands the highest for the reason that it has proven to be just the remedy needed in thousands upon thousands of distressing cases. Swamp-Root makes friends quickly because its mild and immediate effect is soon realized in most cases. It is a gentle, healing vegetable compound.

Start treatment at once. Sold at all drug stores in bottles of two, six, medium and large.

Witness if you wish first to test this great preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention this paper.—Adv.

## Five Husky Pairs of Lungs!



Mrs. Elizabeth Howe, 28, of Boston has become the mother of triplets and a pair of twins in a period of 20 months. The newcomers are John, Joseph and Myrtle. Standing back of them are the twins, Elsie (left) and Ethel Mrs. Howe has 12 children.

## Amusements

**TUESDAY**  
Peoples: "The Silent Partner".  
Strand: "Herc".  
Pearce: Musical bill, "A Pair of Sixes"; picture, "When Odds Are Even".  
Liberty: "What Fools Men Are," with all star cast.  
Green Tree: "Blind Bargain" with Lon Chaney.

**WEDNESDAY**  
Peoples: "Potash and Perlmutter".  
Strand: Colleen Moore in "April Showers".  
Pearce: Musical bill, "A Pair of Sixes"; picture, "When Odds Are Even".  
Liberty: "What Fools Men Are," with all star cast.  
Green Tree: "Reno," and Exp. 10 of "Ghost City."

### LOVABLE CHARACTERS IN "POTASH AND PERLMUTTER"

The two most lovable characters ever conceived in the brain of an author are without a doubt those of Abe Potash and Morris Perlmutter, the famous partners in the series of "Potash and Perlmutter" stories written by Montague Glass. Not only did they appear in nearly two hundred stories in the Saturday Evening Post, but they have been portrayed on the stage by Barney Bernard and Alexander Carr for nearly nine years and a quarter of a million books containing their adventures have been sold.

Potash and Perlmutter became the heroes of the nation soon after the series started in magazine form.

"And the Potash and Perlmutter story this week" was a question put many million times by readers. The stories became so popular that many persons bought the magazine solely on their account.

Abe and Morris were lovable characters because they were so human. Their partnership was a practically unbroken line of verbal battles, but their arguments never came to the point of blows. The spectator would have considered them deadly enemies, but when misfortune threatened either one of them the other would have been willing to lay down his life or make a sacrifice to avert the blow.

"I can insult you as much as I wish, Abe, that's a partner's privilege; but I won't allow anybody else to insult you, even if you deserve it."

The screen version of "Potash and Perlmutter," which was produced for First National by Samuel Goldwyn, is coming to the Peoples theatre tomorrow. Bernard and Carr play their original roles in it, assisted by Vera Gordon as Rosie Potash.

### TANGLED DIVORCE LAWS BRING MARITAL DISCORD

A total of \$1,432,000 is paid out annually in alimony fees!

A man may be divorced in Nevada but he is still married as far as New York is concerned, if his wife was not present at the divorce proceedings!

There is only one ground for divorce in New York, but one may step across the border to Connecticut and have his choice of seven!

A marriage is not legal in Maryland unless performed by a clergyman!

Nineteen states have no laws prohibiting the marriage of the feeble minded!

There is no minority age limit in seventeen states!

Mrs. Thomas G. Winter, president of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, in an address at Atlantic City last spring said, "With forty-eight states each having a different set of laws by means of which marriage ties can be severed, it is any wonder that the younger generation is losing respect for wedlock? It is merely a case of law against law."

Rupert Hughes, noted author and motion picture director, in a recent article, advocates easier divorces. He declares that denial of divorce has in the past created eras of tense living. He cites France and Spain during the periods when divorce was not sanctioned and mistresses were openly recognized.

In his latest photoplay, which he made for the Goldwyn motion picture company under the title of "Reno," which will be shown at the Strand theatre today for the last time, Rupert Hughes attacks the folly of conflicting divorce laws. At times during the play he treats the subject with humorous tolerance, but in the end shows the tragedy this conglomeration of laws may bring upon the individual.

Read Mt. 7:1-12. Text 7:11. If ye then, being evil, know how to give good gifts unto your children, how much more shall your Father who is in heaven give good things to them that ask him!

"It is of utmost importance therefore to present praying to men in such a way as to make it seem an immediately feasible way to produce valuable results in the day's work. In this way a growing awareness of God in the work and friendships of daily life will be developed. God can be counted on to respond. Man does not do all the seeking."

MEDIATION: In God's great being there are treasures which he longs to give his children when they are prepared to receive them and use them to advantage. One evidence that we can use his gifts is that we see the need and we ask for them. As a wise father God gives to each child an important place in the kingdom and plans that the personality of each one shall have an opportunity for development.

PERSONAL QUESTION: Does God answer my prayer?  
PRAYER: Eternal God, whose mercies are over all thy children and whose love seeketh us in all our days, turn, we pray thee, our faces towards the light of thy countenance. May we live in thy spirit this day, O Lord Amen.

## Fellowship of Prayer

Daily Lenten Bible reading and meditation prepared for Commission on Evangelism of Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America.

TUESDAY  
God Longs to Respond to Prayer

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## CITY WINS OUT IN DAIRY CASE

But Vroyik Is Allowed To Sell Own Milk

City health officials yesterday afternoon won their fight to prevent John Vroyik, proprietor of the Holland Dairy, from selling milk other than that produced on his own dairy. At the same time attorneys for Vroyik were granted a writ restraining city health officials from interfering with Vroyik in the delivering of this milk.

Vroyik's permit to sell milk in Port Arthur was cancelled last week by city health officials, after they charge, Vroyik persisted in buying milk from dairymen whose permits to sell milk had been revoked.

Judge McDowell in 60th district court ordered through the injunction that Vroyik should be allowed to sell milk produced on his own farm, but decreed he should not sell milk in Port Arthur that had been purchased from dairies whose permits had been cancelled.

## Republicans Seek Kansas City Mayoralty

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 11.—On the first formal ballot, Lambert I. Bensch, lawyer, former election commissioner, was nominated as the republican candidate for mayor of Kansas City, Mo., by a republican convention, defeating George E. Kimball.

Kimball was unanimously selected as the party's candidate for controller.

Bensch, in acknowledging his nomination, scored the present democratic administration and declared the republicans "would use a vacuum cleaner from cellar to garret" on the city hall.

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## W. O. W. Papers Filed

AUSTIN, March 11.—Record and papers in the case of Woodmen of the World, vs. W. A. Ayres were received today by the clerk of the supreme court having been forwarded by special associate Justice S. W. Mount of Nacogdoches, in compliance with an order issued by the other two members of the special court, I. W. Stephens, Fort Worth, and H. C. Geddie, Kerrville. Mount, who was to have prepared the opinion, had the record and papers nearly a year.

## THOU SHALT NOT STEAL! AND THIEF TAKES TIRE

LUFKIN, Texas, March 11.—As Reverend F. E. Adams expanded his text, "Thou shalt not steal," a thief removed a new tire and motorometer from the car of a member of the congregation.

## Keep Your Hair Healthy By Using CUTICURA

Shampoo regularly with a suds of Cuticura Soap and hot water, and keep your scalp clean and healthy. Before shampooing, touch spots of dandruff and itching, if any, with Cuticura Ointment.

Sample Free by Mail. Address: "Cuticura Laboratories, Dept. 31, Chelsea, Mass." Sold everywhere. See Size, Directions and Price on Box. Try our new Shaving Stick.

## LaFollette's Quiet Hour



Senator Robert M. LaFollette takes nothing better than a good book after the cares of a busy day in congress. And always there's the companionship of his wife and daughter, Fola. Frequently the senator reads aloud to them.

## Hint French Loan

Rumors Strengthen France As Market Opens

By Lloyd Allen  
United Press Staff Correspondent

LONDON, March 11.—The French franc opened somewhat stronger here today at 115 francs, 50 centimes to the pound sterling, as reports were circulated in banking circles that the Paris government had determined on drastic measures to stave off financial disaster.

The report to the Financial Times from its Paris correspondent said it was rumored in the French capital that an American syndicate headed by Morgan and company will offer the French treasury a credit of fifty million dollars for three months at 5 per cent interest.

## QUITS AS TEXAS REGENT

AUSTIN, March 10.—G. M. Caldwell, Abilene, has resigned as a member of the University of Texas board of regents.

## Wrist Watch Specials

Here is an opportunity to buy a lady's wrist watch at a great saving. These prices are far less than real worth of the watches offered and every one is guaranteed to give good service.

Special for the little girl. A good green gold wrist watch \$5.75

14-K white gold filled in odd shapes. Special at \$7.75

14-K white gold filled in rectangular and oval shapes \$11.75

Jacobs & Lipoff  
443 Austin Ave.

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## A Hot Breakfast—Quick

QUICK QUAKER  
Cooks in 3 to 5 minutes!

Here's a vigor breakfast in a hurry. Ask your grocer for Quick Quaker. Cooks in half the time of coffee, faster than eggs, no longer than plain toast!

So start the day right with a HOT breakfast—best for you, best for the youngsters.

Same plump flakes as regular Quaker Oats, the kind you've known. But cut before flaking, rolled thinner and partly cooked—smaller flakes that cook faster, that's the only difference.

All the rare Quaker flavor. All the nourishment of the world's premier vigor breakfast. But—no bother cooking.

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## Deposed Sheriff Seeks Mandamus Writ

AUSTIN, March 10.—Former Sheriff John Reegen of Tarrant county, recently removed from office under judgment of the 70th district court for alleged official misconduct by giving protection to operators of illicit stills, today filed in the supreme court motion for leave to file petition for mandamus to compel E. T. Hovvborough, clerk of the sixth court of civil appeals, Tarrant county, to forward to the clerk of the supreme court, Reegen's application for a writ of certiorari.

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"ENDS THE QUEST FOR THE BEST"

## Deutser The Waistcoat Blouse

Of Batiste and Permalawon \$2.50

A reflection of the sportswoman's invariably good taste is this blouse she will select to complement her new tailor!

Some are collarless, with V neckline and surprise-effect closing. The long sleeves have link/button cuffs.

The New Blouses of Trico-Plaid, \$5.95 up

Copenhagen, bisque, jade and gold are the bright shades in which this new Peggy collared kimono-sleeve style blouse appears for spring. The bodice has a small panel outlined with braid and trimmed with buttons.

Another model has long sleeves and bobby collar.

Nature's Rival Corset-Brassieres

Correct the bulging diaphragm and remove the unsightly ridge at the top of corset or girdle. They're cut very long and boned so as to be thoroughly comfortable as well as to produce slim, straight lines.

Nature's Rival Brassieres are of supple satine or broadcrests, priced 75c to \$3.00.

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75c Knit Unions

Extra special in umbrella knee knit unions, a big value in all sizes.

Spring Fabrics Attractively Priced

Ten Yards for \$1.00  
10 yards good quality 15c certain scrim \$1.00  
10 yards 27 inch novelty dress gingham \$1.00

Ginghams  
Lots to Choose From  
Best quality 27 inch fancy gingham in plaids, stripes, checks and plain colors 25c

Special offering of fine count fine quality 32 inch gingham, best assortment of styles, yard 35c

Colored Voiles  
Choose from our big assortment. One special lot at only 25c. Lot of others at 88c, 93c, 75c and up to \$1.08.

Dotted Swiss  
We are showing a special collection of very fine dotted Swiss in reds, blues, tans, browns, orchids, greens and reds. Values \$1.40 at 98c

Plain Voiles  
Very fine quality 40 inch plaid colored voiles in 50c every shade at 50c

Linens  
Everfast noncrushable, every good color, special 98c at 79c and 98c

Everfast Gingham  
Monday and Tuesday we offer the well known Everfast 32 inch gingham in every imaginable color. This is our special 75c cloth for 59c

Kimono Crepes  
Full assortment of 33 inch genuine serpentine kimono crepe, yard 33c

Authentic Styles in New Spring Sweaters \$2.98 up

Shown her ein a range of styles and colors that are sure to please the most exacting as to style trend and new colors. See our new selection.

Art Department  
One of the busiest departments in town.

Stamped Gowns  
Ladies fine quality soft finish nainsook stamped gowns in colors and white \$1.50 value for \$1.19

Stamped Dresses  
New shipment of ladies' colored stamped dresses, every color guaranteed special at \$1.25

Tea Towels  
Attractive all linen ready worked tea towels, only 39c

Stamped Spreads  
Full size fine quality half bleached stamped bed spread, a good \$2.50 value for \$1.98

Shirting  
Woven shirting madras stripes, guaranteed colors, 35c value 35c

Punjab Madras  
40c quality 36 inch punjab madras, the kind that will not fade, 40c value 39c

Percale  
20c 36-inch percale, good fine quality, lot of styles special, yard 22c

Knitting Yarn  
Make Your Own Sweater  
Choice of 3 balls of any yarn in our art department for \$1.00

Leaves  
Thousands of yards of good looking vinyl and other make lace, for only 5c

3 Yards for \$1.00  
Eight yards of 20c quality 30 inch bleached muslin for \$1.00